GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Commercial Taxes Department - Public Servants - Surprise Check of ACB on ICP, B.V.Palem, Tada Mandal, Nellore Dist on 03/04-6-2016- Irregularities noticed - Initiation of disciplinary action - Placed the all 11 Charged Officers on their defence before COI -WSDS submitted- Case entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries- Inquiring Authority Appointed - Orders - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE-VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.272 **Date:04.03.2024**

Read the following:-

1. From the DG, ACB Lr.RC.No.64/DES-NNL/2016, dt: 30.01.2018.
2. G.O.Ms.No.232, Rev (Vig.V1) Deptt., dt:02-06-2023.
3. G.O.Rt.Nos.543 to 553, Rev (Vig.VI) Deptt., dt:02-06-2023.
4. From the CCST., Lr.No.V1/245/2023 Dt. 15-10-2023
5. U.O.Note.No.2331313/GAD/COI-R/2024-1, Dt:24.01.2024

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Where as in the reference 1st read above the DG of the ACB reported that based on credible information that staff working in the Integrated Check Post at Bheemunivaripalem of Tada Mandal, SPSR Nellore District are indulging in corrupt practices and collecting bribe amount from the drivers of the passing through check posts. Hence, conducted surprise check on 03/04-06-2016 in between 09.15 PM to 04.30 AM hrs on the counters maintained by CT Dept, (both incoming & outgoing check posts), Transport Dept, Excise Dept, Agriculture Market Committee Dept, Mines & Geology Dept and Forest Dept, and found certain irregularities. The ACB have recommended for Disciplinary action against the Suspected Officers.

2. Where as in the reference 2nd read above, Common Disciplinary Proceedings have been initiated against the Eleven (11) SO's viz . 1).Sri Chennupati Srinivasa Rao, CTO, (SO-1), 2) Sri Mudavath Venkateswarlu, DCTO, (SO-2) 3) Sri Ravella Nageswara Rao, DCTO, (SO-3), 4) Sri Yeturi Venkata Ramesh, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept (SO-5), 5) Sri Shaik Shareef Basha, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-6), 6) Sri Mallavarapu Rajendra Prasad, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-7), 7) Sri Shaik Shajahan, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-8), 8) Sri Agnihotram Venu Gopal, Attender,CT Dept., (SO-10), 9) Sri Medida Mani Kumar, ACTO, (SO-11), 10) Smt B.Bhargavi, Sr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-12), 11) Sri K.V.Avinash, Jr.Asst., CT Dept., (SO-13) under Rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and in the reference 3rd read above charges were framed against the above mentioned 11 SOs. In the reference 4th read above the CCST submitted the served copies of the acknowledgments and WSDs of the Charged Officers wherein the COs denied the charges framed against them.

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3. Whereas, in the reference 5th read above, GA(COI-R) Department have re-assigned this case to Sri K. Venkata Ramireddy, Member, COI as Inquiry Authority in place of Sri. R.P. Thakur, IPS (Retd.,), the then Member, COI to conduct Inquiry into the charges framed against them.

4. Government after careful consideration of the Written Statement of Defence, and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Sri K.Venkata Rami Reddy, Member, Commissioner of Inquires as Inquiring Authority to conduct regular inquiry into the charges framed against all the Eleven (11) Charged Officers viz . 1).Sri Chennupati Srinivasa Rao, CTO, (SO-1), 2) Sri Mudavath Venkateswarlu, DCTO, (SO-2) 3) Sri Ravella Nageswara Rao, DCTO, (SO-3), 4) Sri Yeturi Venkata Ramesh, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept (SO-5), 5) Sri Shaik Shareef Basha, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-6), 6) Sri Mallavarapu Rajendra Prasad, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-7), 7) Sri Shaik Shajahan, Jr.Asst.,CT Dept., (SO-8), 8) Sri Agnihotram Venu Gopal, Attender,CT Dept., (SO-10), 9) Sri Medida Mani Kumar, ACTO, (SO-11), 10) Smt B.Bhargavi, Sr.Asst., CT Dept., (SO-12), 11) Sri K.V.Avinash, Jr.Asst., CT Dept., (SO-13). The Inquiring Authority shall complete the inquiry within the stipulated period and furnish the report to the Government for taking further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA RADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri K.Venkata Rami Reddy, Member, COI, General Administration Department, Andhra Pradesh Secretariat, Velagapudi (w.e) (Article of Charges & Written Statement of Defence)
All Charged Officers (through the CCST, AP., Kunchanapalli, Guntur (Dt)
The CCST, AP., Kunchanapalli, Guntur (Dt)
Copy to:
The secretary to the APVC, AP Secretariat.
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SECTION OFFICER